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SEVENTEEN

TEUTONS READY TO RECOGNIZE YUAN'S EMPIRE

Monarchical Form of Government for China Acceptable to Central States

(Special Cable to Nippon Jiji.) TOKIO, Japan, Dec. 23.—Despatches from Peking state that the German and Austrian ministers to China yesterday called at the Chinese foreign office and formally notified it that Germany and Austria are prepared to recognize the government of the empire of China, when it is formed.

SAY YUAN BRIBING OFFICIALS WITH TITLES

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 23.—Despatches posted in Chinatown last night say that Chou Keng, revolutionary leader, has requested the government of Yunnan to protest at Peking against the plan of reestablishing the monarchy. Chou Keng declares that Yuan Shih-kai is bestowing titles upon those officials who are believed to be opposing the change in the form of government, in order to win them over. Charges against 13 well-known adherents of the monarchy have been filed with Yuan by the republicans, the petition outlining the charges requesting the immediate execution of the 13 men.

BARK S. N. CASTLE HUNG UP ON ROCKS ON WASHINGTON COAST

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 23.—The barkentine S. N. Castle, Captain Svenson, is in distress off Aberdeen, having struck a jagged rock upon which she is hung up with six feet of water in her hold. The S. N. Castle was outward bound for Australia, with lumber.

NAVY BOARD ADVISER HANDS IN RESIGNATION

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 23.—Henry Wise Wood, the authority in mechanics nominated by Secretary Daniels as a member of the naval advisory board, has resigned from the board, announcing as his reason his dissatisfaction over the inadequate naval program recommended by the secretary of the navy.

DULUTH NEEDS COAL.

DULUTH, Minn.—The American Northwest faces a coal shortage of 3,000,000 tons, according to the Duluth Tribune. Only about two-thirds of the 9,000,000 tons both hard and soft coal usually on Duluth and Superior docks at this time of year have been received.

Masonic Temple

Weekly Calendar

MONDAY—Leah Chapter No. 2, O. E. S.; Stated; 7:30 p. m.

TUESDAY—

WEDNESDAY—Hawaiian Lodge No. 21; Special, Installation of Officers; 7:30 p. m.

THURSDAY—Honolulu Lodge of Perfection No. 1; Stated; 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY—

SATURDAY—

SCHOFIELD LODGE

WEDNESDAY—Work in First Degree; 7:30 p. m.

SATURDAY—

HERMANN'S SOEHNS.

Versammlungen in K. of P. Hall. Montag, December 6 and 20.

W. WOLTERS, President. C. BOLTE, Sekretair.

HONOLULU LODGE NO. 1, MODERN ORDER OF PHOENIX.

Will meet at their home, corner of Beretania and Fort streets, every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. CHARLES HUSTACE, JR., Leader. FRANK MURRAY, Secretary.

HONOLULU LODGE, 516, B. P. O. E. meets in their hall on King St., near Fort, every Friday evening. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.

C. J. MCCARTHY, E. R. H. DUNSHIEE, Sec.

'OPIUM' HAUL ON SEIYO TURNS OUT TO BE GLUCOSE

Half-Million Seizure Analyzed By Chemists; Cases Returned to Ship

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 23.—Chemists who have analyzed the contents of sample tins of the opium seized in the T. K. K. Seiyo Maru declare that the substance is glucose and not opium. The seized cases have accordingly been returned to the ship.

IN WAR ARENA

GREECE INVADIED BY BULGARS, SAYS BERLIN.

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 23.—An invasion of Greece by the Bulgars is reported in Berlin, according to despatches by way of Copenhagen, and there is speculation there concerning the attitude which Greece will take in view of this move.

Berlin announces that the Bulgarians will operate only along the railroad line leading to Saloniki and against the Allies at Saloniki, unless Greece intervenes and attempts to oppose the invasion by force. In that event, Bulgaria will attack Greece.

An indication that Greece will not move, even in the event that the Berlin despatches are confirmed, is given in an interview granted yesterday by Premier Skouloudis to the Athens representative of the London Chronicle, who questioned the premier as to his attitude, now that he has secured a large majority of the deputies to sustain him in parliament.

"Had the Allies been frank with Greece in the first place, it is certain that Greece would not have hesitated," he said. "Greece has been attempting to shape her policy in the war that there would be no bloodshed in Greece Macedonia, but the Allies maintained the attitude of Greece and angered the nation. Then, in the face of reverses, the Allies demanded that Greece should make sacrifices first of territory and then of her subjects."

AUSTRIAN SUBMARINE CAPTURED BY ITALIANS

PARIS, France, December 23.—The Havas Agency correspondent at Malta reports that an Austria submarine, operating off Malta, was yesterday captured by two torpedo boats, presumably Italian.

Earlier in the day, a German submarine torpedoed and sank a Japanese steamer, the second to be destroyed by submarines in the Mediterranean. This vessel was sunk in the Eastern Mediterranean.

The reports give the name of the steamer as the Sada Maru. No steamer of this name is listed, but there is a Sado Maru, which sailed from Seattle on December 4 and which was last reported at Hongkong.

UNION LEADERS ASKED TO HELP RECRUIT WORKERS

LONDON, Eng., December 23.—Minister of Munitions Lloyd-George last night addressed the Newcastle union leaders, urging that they help the government recruit the eighty thousand skilled workers needed to completely man the government munition factories.

BRITISH BANKERS PREACH ECONOMY.

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 23.—An appeal addressed to the British public was issued yesterday by a committee representing British bankers, this being a plea that the people of the nation unite to meet the financial requirements of the situation brought about by the war. The people are urged to live less extravagantly, to be more saving of their personal and household expenses and to deposit their savings where their wealth may be available for national use.

AUSTRALIANS PRAISED FOR WORK ON GALLIPOLI.

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 23.—England is ringing with praise for the plucky manner in which Australia received the news of the withdrawal of the British forces from the Anzac and Suvla Bay positions of the Gallipoli, positions which the Australians and New Zealanders had held at great cost. Britain is proud of the Australian attitude, which pride is expressed in all the leading papers.

Quotations from the Australian press, cabled here, show the Australian attitude, one leading paper of the colonies quoting from Lincoln's Gettysburg address these words: "That we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain. That this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of Freedom."

SERB TREASURY FUNDS EN ROUTE TO PARIS.

MARSEILLES, France, Dec. 23.—Specie to the amount of 18,000,000 francs, representing what has been left of the treasury funds of Serbia, brought out through Albania, has reached here en route to Paris, where it will be deposited to the credit of the Serbian government in the Bank of France.

Ten persons were injured in a collision between a Sixth avenue car and a Grand street car at West Broadway and Grand street, New York City.

CANADA PREMIER CONFIDENT OVER WAR'S OUTCOME

Tells New England Club Allies Will Win Struggle For Humanity's Cause

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) NEW YORK, N. Y., December 23.—Sir Robert Borden, premier of Canada, was the principal speaker last night at the one hundred and tenth annual dinner of the New England Club.

The Canadian premier stated that Canada would spare no effort to do her share to win the war in which the British empire is engaged, the outcome of which he did not fear, believing that the struggle for the cause of humanity would not be in vain.

He expressed the hope that next year would bring about peace with victory for British arms, being convinced that the cause of the Allies is the cause of the right.

Sir Robert gave the toast to the president of the United States.

GERMANS PLANNING REAL OLD FASHIONED CHRISTMAS MONDAY

A big, old-fashioned German Christmas celebration will be held Monday night at 7:30 o'clock in Phoenix hall, Fort and Beretania streets, by the German colony of Honolulu, to which all Germans are invited, including the officers and crews of the refugee German merchant ships in the harbor, and also on the interned German gunboat Geleir.

In charge of arrangements is a committee of German women, members of the Woman's Guild of the German Evangelical Lutheran church. Mrs. C. Du Roi is chairman. The church's pastor, Rev. G. Schafhirt, is also taking an active part in arranging the program.

LITTLE MAN OF YESTERDAY.

Little, little lad of mine, With your show of courage fine: Oh! 'tis brave I'd have you be But your mother's eyes can see Deep inside, all hid away, Things your lips may never say.

Little man of yesterday, Singing as you march away; The good God who knows all things Knows the hearts of men and Kings; God and mother see the ache, Though so brave a part you take.

Little man of yesterday, Common folk have had to pay In the coin of pain and tears, For the wars, all through the years, Still our lips will smile today, Smile, the while you march away.

Oh! I wonder, does the King Know how great, how grave a thing 'Tis to take my little lad: All the child your mother had, Must you go the long, long way? Little man of yesterday?

—Flora Shufelt Rivola.

FASTING IN A CAVE.

One of the most diverting contrasts in civilized life is found in the case of the New York man who forsok the six-millioned metropolis to fast for 40 days in a cave in one of the city parks. He seemed to enjoy his cave and his hunger, and was much annoyed when the police dragged him out of his lair and sent him back to his steam-heated flat.

George Victor Hugo, grandson of the great writer, has been decorated for distinguished service in the fighting at Navarin, northern France. He is a sub-lieutenant in the French infantry.

'JIM' CAREY IS DOING WELL AT BISBEE, ARIZONA

James T. Carey, formerly with the business departments of local newspapers, is now business manager of the Bisbee, Arizona, Review, and in recent letters here expresses himself very enthusiastically regarding the industrial present and future of the state. "Jim" is a born booster and he evidently believes thoroughly in Bisbee and Arizona. The Review has just published a mammoth mining edition, 60 pages of fine reading and ads, with a circulation of 15,000. It is the second largest edition ever gotten out in the state and Carey's pride in it is well justified.

"We are all enjoying a season of unprecedented prosperity, and to my notion Arizona is one of the best states in the Union, and Bisbee is the most prosperous city in the state," he writes. "Oatman, which is not very far from here, gives promise of becoming one of the best gold-mining camps in America, in fact, it is referred to as the Rand of America."

Carey also sounds a warning that attempts may be made by people with no bona-fide interest or standing in Arizona to float worthless stocks in the islands and adds that he will be glad to give what information he can on stocks that are in the market.

All of "Jim" Carey's friends in Hawaii will be glad to know that he is prospering and happily placed in the newspaper field again.

CHRISTMAS 'MELON' FOR STOCKHOLDERS

CHICAGO.—Two million dollars of new common stock of the Cudahy Packing Company, authorized at a meeting of the directors, will be distributed as a Christmas "melon" to holders of the old \$3,450,000 common stock.

The stock divided amounts to about 58 per cent on the old issue. After the distribution of the new stock the capitalization will be \$5,449,500 common stock and \$8,550,500 preferred.

More than \$15,000 was pledged to the Boy Scouts of America on the first day of their week's campaign to raise \$200,000 for expenses.

VILLA'S BROTHER ARRESTED; NOW IN TEXAS JAIL

Carranzistas Inflict Another Severe Defeat on Villa Troops

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) SAN ANTONIO, Texas, December 23.—Although it was understood that he would be treated as a political refugee, if he crossed into the United States with his brother and leader, Hipolito Villa, brother of Pancho Villa, was taken from a train here yesterday by federal officials and placed in jail.

LAREDO, Mexico, December 23.—Another Villista army was defeated and dispersed in a battle that was fought at Mapula on Tuesday and yesterday. This was the force led by General Trevino, which was practically wiped out, the killed, wounded and prisoners taken by the Carranzistas totaling nine hundred.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, DECEMBER 23.

Despatches from the City of Mexico announce the execution there of five bandits, while the five women who accompanied them are sentenced to prison.

SARAH BERNHARDT IS NOT CRITICALLY ILL

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) LONDON, Eng., Dec. 23.—A Havas Agency despatch from Paris characterizes as unfounded the report which reached here yesterday regarding the serious illness of Sarah Bernhardt. The Havas Agency denies that the famous actress is either on her death bed or critically ill.

Quaker Opposes Preparedness.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—While many White House callers were kept waiting, James Henderson, a Quaker from Barnesville, O., delivered a sermon to President Wilson opposing military preparedness. The president thanked him for his advice and then turned to shake hands with the next man in line.

AUSTRIA WON'T DELAY ANSWER TO U. S. NOTE

Reply May Be Expected Within Two Days, Say Vienna Advises

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) LONDON, Eng., December 23.—Despatches from Vienna announce that an early reply to the second American note regarding the sinking of the Italian liner Ancona may be expected, probably within two days. This, coupled with the announcement that Baron von Burian, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, will probably go to Berlin for a conference before despatching the reply of the Austrian government, is taken here as an indication that the American demands, coupled with the refusal of the Washington state department to either explain or discuss them further, are to be summarily rejected.

CAN'T PREDICT DATE OF OPENING CANAL

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 23.—Departmental notice was yesterday issued to shippers announcing that it is as yet impossible to predict the date for the reopening of the Panama Canal. General Goethals has reported to the department that the conditions along the Galliard cut are unstable and no assurances of the reestablishment of permanent use of the canal can be given, although it is possible that the waterway may be temporarily reopened at any time.

COUNT OKUMA SICK

(Special Cable to Hawaii Shinpo.) TOKIO, Japan, Dec. 23.—Count Okuma, the aged premier of Japan, was unable to attend the session of the Diet yesterday on account of illness which forced him to take to his bed. The premier became indisposed at Kioto during the recent coronation ceremonies there and since returning home has divided his time between his office and his bedchamber. Alarm is felt over his condition as he does not seem to gain strength.

MISSING LINK IN TEUTON WAR PLOT DECLARED FOUND

Officials Believe Latest Evidence Will Prove Germany Knew of Conspiracy

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—On the eve of the sailing of Capt. Frans von Papen, the German military attaché recalled at the repeated request of the United States, agents of the department of justice placed under arrest Edmund Justice, employed as a watchman by the Hamburg-American Company, whom officials declare furnishes the missing link connecting up the Hamburg-American Company as the direct agent of the German government in the violations of American neutrality.

Charge Conspiracy. Justice was arrested, it is said, in connection with the case already under way against Paul Koenig, who was at the head of the secret service bureau of the steamship company. The specific charge against Koenig and his associates is that they entered into a conspiracy to blow up the locks of the Welland canal, in Ontario. That the German government was cognizant of this conspiracy and that the alleged conspirators, acting as the agents of the Hamburg-American, were carrying out the plans of German government officials, is the direct charge now officially made.

LOUISIANA CUSTOMS OFFICIAL SLAYER OF TWO; THOUGHT CRAZED

(Associated Press by Federal Wire.) BATON ROUGE, Louisiana, Dec. 23.—R. L. Knox, the surveyor of customs here, yesterday shot and killed Benjamin Foster, a friend of his, and Alexander Franklin, a pauper, the attack upon the two men being unprovoked and apparently without cause. The shooting took place at the railroad depot. Following the double shooting, Knox surrendered to the authorities without resistance. It is believed that he is demented.

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